

## II. REMARKS

The Examiner is requested to reconsider the application in view of the foregoing amendment and the following remarks. Generally, it is believed that the amendment adds no new matter.

Applicant is again grateful for the Examiner's guidance, and if an allowance is not forthcoming, Applicant requests a telephone interview.

The amendment herein is intended to adjust the method claims to the Federal Circuit's MuniAuctions decision, and is not intended to be responsive to any outstanding rejection. In providing this amendment, it was noted that there were two claims numbered 21, and the second is cancelled.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or related application.

**III. Conclusion**

In sum, favorable action is requested, and if the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

**APPLICANT CLAIMS SMALL ENTITY STATUS.** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235, and if any extension of time is needed to reply or enter this filing that this shall be deemed a petition therefore. Please direct all communication to the undersigned at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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